

CGSC

Notes

## Transformation of the Army

The Command and General Staff College (CGSC) is actively involved with the Chief of Staff's campaign to transform the Army. CGSC has been working on two very important missions for TRADOC in relation to the stand up of the initial medium weight brigade at Fort Lewis, Washington. The first effort is being led by the Center for Army Tactics (CTAC) with support from the Combined Arms Doctrine Directorate (CADD), the Directorate of Logistics and Resource Operations (DLRO), the Directorate of Joint and Multinational Operations (DJMO) and the Center for Army Leadership (CAL), to lead a team effort across TRADOC schools to write the Operational and Organizational Concept (O&O) for the Command and Control Combat Computer Information Surveillance Reconnaissance portion of the brigade. The O&O is written and will be approved within the next month. CTAC will also be in support of a couple of C4ISR rock drills and is the College lead for Army Experiment 7 which will focus on brigade training.

The second effort is headed up by CADD to determine tasks associated with an ARFOR headquarters. Specifically, CADD will be looking at the tasks of a division headquarters and an ARFOR headquarters to determine augmentation required if the division must be an ARFOR. This is groundbreaking work for the Army. The way ahead will be to help fulfill the mission given by the Army Chief of Staff that every corps is capable of being a Joint Force Land Component Command and/or a Joint Task Force.

The Combat Studies Institute (CSI) is developing a history of change in the Army as it has gone through organizational change such as during the building and subsequent failure of the Pentomic Division.

CAL is heading a coordination effort along with Task Force TLS (Training, Leader Development and Soldier Support) to help coordinate and develop a campaign plan to train brigade leaders. CAL will also be working a subsequent task to help define the institutional role in the training of subsequent members of brigades as the organization becomes more common and the soldiers come through the institution enroute to those brigades. Look for a series of articles in the May-Jun edition for a more in-depth review of these efforts.

## DJMO

An interagency panel will visit CGSOC from 2-3 February to address students in National Security Policy Formulation (A512). This panel of action officers represent-



ing the Joint Staff, State Department, intelligence community and National Security Council staff will discuss how interagency coordination helps the President make national security decisions.

In early January, Lincoln Benedicto, of the State Department, will join the Department of Joint and Multinational Operations. He will teach A517, Diplomatic Instrument

of Power, and represent the State Department at on-post activities. He will also facilitate State Department participation in exercises conducted by BCTP such as Prairie Warrior, and advise all activities on State Department capabilities and functions. He will be available to teach classes or conduct professional development programs in his areas of expertise. POC is Bob Walz at 684-3979 or MAJ Bob Finn, Operations, 684-2536.

## MR bids farewell to Production Editor

Production editor Phil Davis leaves *Military Review* after 18 years. He began here in 1981 as the books and features editor and German translator, assuming his current position in 1988. During his tenure he has seen widespread changes in *Military Review* and the military's role—from the rise of electronic publishing to the fall of the Soviet Union. He was instrumental in the *MR*'s transition from cut and paste techniques to cutting-edge technology. Having survived 10 editors in chief and six managing editors, Phil leaves a legacy of professional dedication and publishing excellence. He takes over as editor of *The Air Scoop* (the USAFE safety publication), in Ramstein, Germany. Phil has been a keen eye, organizational stalwart and good friend. We will miss his talent and devotion but wish him and his wife, Becca, good luck and Godspeed.

## Korean War Veterans Sought

Fiftieth anniversary activities to commemorate the Korea War will begin on 25 June 2000 and continue through 27 July 2003. All Korean War veterans are encouraged to register with the US Korea 2000 Foundation. The foundation is looking for anyone who served in the Armed Forces, including the Coast Guard and Merchant Marine, for at least one day between 25 June 1950 and 27 July 1953. Actual service in the Korean Theater of operations is not a requirement. Family members of deceased Korean War veterans are also encouraged to participate.

According to Department of Veterans' Affairs statistics, less than 20 percent of Korean War veterans belong to any national veterans' organization. The foundation

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